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MEMORANDUM

TO: State Board of Education

FROM: Mike Flanagan 

SUBJECT: 2009-2010 Michigan Teacher of the Year
and State-Level Finalists

This month, Mrs. Jen Haberling will complete her year as the 2008-2009 Michigan Teacher of the Year. Mrs. Haberling has provided exemplary service as a representative of the excellent teachers in Michigan. She has supported the State Board of Education priorities through her activities.

The 2009-2010 Michigan Teacher of the Year, Mr. Robert L. Stephenson of the Okemos Public Schools, will be introduced. In addition, the three state-level finalists will also be introduced. The state-level finalists are:

- o Kassandra Lawhorne, Mathematics Teacher, Bath Middle School, Bath Community Schools
- o Michelle McLemore, English Language Arts Teacher, Onsted High School, Onsted Community Schools
- o Lewis Smith III, Fifth Grade Teacher, Barth Elementary School, Romulus Community Schools

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